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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER  
Under Small Entity Status**

Attorney Docket No:  
1007-OH-CONT(2)

Application Serial Number:  
10/692,099

Filing Date:  
10/23/03

Examiner:  
Bruce A. Lev

Art Unit:  
3634

Invention: SECURITY DEVICE FOR PREVENTING RAPID REMOVAL OF MERCHANDISE

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	17	MINUS	20	0	\$25.00	\$0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	0	\$100.00	\$0

\_\_\_\_ Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of \_\_\_\_ to and through \_\_\_\_, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:

\_\_\_\_ one month (\$60.00)

\_\_\_\_ three months (\$510.00)

\_\_\_\_ two months (\$225.00)

\_\_\_\_ four months (\$795.00)

\_\_\_\_ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-0083

**TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT**

**\$130.00**

☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

☒ 2 Terminal Disclaimers w/fees.


☒ A check in the amount of \$ 130.00 is attached.

\_\_\_\_ Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account \_\_\_\_\_.


☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s), or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0083

\_\_\_\_ No additional fee is required.

2-2-05  
Date

  
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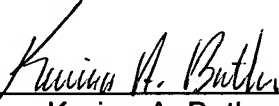
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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: David K. Huehner, et al.

Serial No: 10/692,099

Examiner: Lev, Bruce A.

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For: SECURITY DEVICE FOR PREVENTING RAPID REMOVAL OF  
MERCHANDISE

Docket: 1007-OH-CONT2

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**AMENDMENT "A"**

In response to the Office Action dated November 19, 2004, received in the above application, the application is amended as set forth on the attached claim pages and as set forth below.

Amend independent claims 1, 12 and 15.

Amend dependent claims 13 and 14.

Cancel claims 9 and 17.

Accept the enclosed Terminal Disclaimers.

Respectfully submitted at Canton, Ohio this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2005

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By: Joseph A. Sebolt  
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